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CLARESHOLM

and DISTRICT

Mrs. J. E. Moffatt spoke Tuesday in Calgary.

G. Told was a Calgary visitor on Tuesday.

F. J. Dellbridge spent Sunday at his home here.

Citizens are busy this week with the spring cleaning up.

Earl Reid, of Medicine Hat, has returned to town for a visit.

Messrs. Shaw and Hower, of Nanton, were Claresholm visitors.

Peter Lenarz returned this week from Eureka, Mont. for a short visit.

E. G. Foley, with Alex Martin Co., Calgary, was here on business on Wednesday.

C. E. Tillotson has had the exterior of his house freshened up with a coat of paint.

Mrs. A. E. Thompson and Mrs. G. M. Godley were High River visitors on Tuesday.

W. T. Cochran and family left on Tuesday for a visit to Calgary and the Horse Show.

Geo. Nolan representing the Smart Works Ltd., spent a few days in town this week.

Mrs. R. E. Moffatt and Miss Reid are among the Claresholm visitors to the Horse Show this week.

Mrs. C. E. Tillotson and children went to Calgary on Wednesday to take in the Horse Show.

Quite a representation from Gratum attended the Liberal mass meeting on Tuesday night.

The work of painting and general renovation is in full swing at the Queen's Hotel this week.

Elva Lockwood left for Nanton on Monday to take a position on the Telephone staff at that place.

Ben Pinlayson having disposed of all of his horses, left Tuesday for Calgary on his way to Scotland.

C. M. Hall, manager at Calgary of the Vancouver Milling Co., was here on an official visit last Saturday.

The schoolhouse at Badger Bluff was destroyed by fire last Friday night. No particulars further have been learned.

Among the Gratum visitors noted this week were J. L. Hutton, Paul Clarke, Jas. Blair, L. H. Cochlin, T. Cochlin and James Cunningham.

JOINT POLITICAL MEETING

In the interests of the Liberal candidates for Claresholm and Little Bow Constituencies will be held in the

STAR LINE SCHOOL

at 8 o'clock on the evening of

Saturday, April 12, '13

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W. G. Moffatt is on the sick list this week. Whether the complaint is "ben" fever or "chicken" pox depends very much upon one's diagnosis.

Jos. Humston and wife have recently arrived from Viscount, Sask., and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Parry. Mr. Humston may remain in this locality. The snow was just beginning to disappear when he left Saskatchewan a few days ago, and he was surprised to see how much earlier the seedling is here.

Public Notice.

The following persons have been appointed by the undersigned to act as agents for the candidates for the election of a representative for the Electoral Division of Claresholm to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Alberta, to be held on the seventeenth day of April, 1913. For WILLIAM MORFATT, Norman G. Holmes, of Claresholm, Alta. For GUSTAF MALCHOW, Robert K. Peck, of Claresholm, Alta.

For DANIEL STALKER McMILLAN, Thomas Gilmie, of Gratum, Alta. Signed,

JAMES BLAIR

Returning Officer.

Will Report Next Week

Those in charge of the somewhat unsuccessful attempt to secure the nucleus of a fund to provide an automatic fire alarm system for this town were much disappointed by the apathy shown toward their concert last Saturday evening. The object aimed at by the Fire Brigade was commendable. A statement of the financial result of the attempt will be given in next week's issue.

Council Notes

The town council held their meeting last Friday evening, it having been postponed from Thursday night. There were present, besides the Mayor, Councillors James, Breten, Hutton and Ross. A. Erickson petitioned the council for the privilege of erecting a coal office and weigh scale on the east side of Railway St. The petition was referred to the proper committee. The Medical Officer asked that his salary be raised from \$150, the amount paid last year, to \$200. The request was referred to the Finance committee. The by-law submitted by the Dominion Bank was

laid over as some question arose as to the legality of the town assigning the school taxes to the bank. S. Mackwood, who comes highly recommended by the boiler inspector, was appointed engineer, vice P. H. Going, at a salary of \$400 per month, his duties to commence at once. Councillor Hutton was appointed deputy-mayor for the term of three months.

Organization for Baseball

A very enthusiastic meeting was held at the Wilton Hotel last night at which organization was effected for baseball this season. The officers appointed for 1913 were: Norman Holmes, President; W. D. Munro, Sec.-Treas.; J. E. Moffatt, Manager; Executive Committee—Messrs. Holmes, J. P. Reynolds, and John Mitchell. The membership fee was fixed at \$2.00. Attempts will be made to organize a league with neighboring towns. The revival of baseball after some seasons' lapse is heartily to be desired and if the boys are given the support of the townspeople it is likely that a fine season may be looked forward to. Everybody helping will ensure success.

Election Notice

Notice of Poll being Granted and of Candidates Nominated Electoral Division of Claresholm.

TO WIT: PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the voters of the electoral division aforesaid that a poll has been demanded at the election now pending for the said electoral division and that I have granted such poll; and further that the persons duly nominated as candidates at the said election and for whom only votes will be received are:

1. William Moffatt, of the Town of Claresholm, Hardware Merchant.
2. Gustaf Malchow, of Township 14, Range 27, W. 4th meridian, Farmer.

3. Daniel Stalker McMillan, of the Town of Gratum, Physician.

Of which all persons are hereby required to take notice and govern themselves accordingly. Given under my hand this 10th day of April, 1913.

JAMES BLAIR

Returning Officer.

Do not forget the date of the coming of Dr. J. F. Miller, the Eye Sight Specialist, to the Queens Hotel, Claresholm, one day only, Wednesday, April 10th.

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Dated at Edmonton, 7th April, 1913.

L. P. CLARRY,
Deputy Attorney General.

Public Notice.

WHEREAS by agreement in writing, dated the 31st day of March, A. D. 1913, made, entered into and duly executed between Nels Petersen of Claresholm, Farmer, and his wife, Mary Petersen of Claresholm, aforesaid, the above parties have agreed to live separate from each other in the future.

NOW, THEREFORE, the public are hereby notified by the said Nels Petersen that from and after the 31st day of March, A. D. 1913, he, the said Nels Petersen will not be responsible for any debts, whatsoever, which his wife, Mary Petersen, may contract.

Dated at Claresholm, this 31st day of March, A. D. 1913.

67 NELS PETERSEN.

QUICK CHANGE ARTISTS

ACT I. TIME: MARCH 1909; PLACE: RED DEER CONSTITUENCY.

Edward Michener, Independent candidate, announces that he is a supporter of the Rutland railway policy, which includes the A. & G. W. legislation, passed in the previous session.

ACT II. TIME: FEBRUARY 1911; PLACE: PONTIAC, LOUISIANA.

Edward Michener, leader of the opposition, very bitterly opposed to the A. & G. W. legislation, supports a resolution introduced by Members Boyle and Warneck, favoring the cancellation of the agreement, making use of the money in the Royal bank for building the road to Fort McMurray and the balance for building permanent roads and bridges throughout the province.

NOTE—Between Acts II. and III. Mr. Michener was appointed leader of opposition.

ACT III. TIME: FEBRUARY 1911; PLACE: SAME AS IN ACT II.

Edward Michener denounces the government for cancelling the A. & G. W. agreement, calls the act confiscation, and insists that the money cannot be diverted for roads and bridges as the government has attempted to do. He says that the government should have used the money of the people "to fix" some person who could have called the suit off.

NOTE—Between Acts II. and III. R. B. Bennett, the power behind the opposition, has become solicitor for the Royal Bank, which takes up the legislation for the A. & G. W. He declares that he knows the man who could "fix" things.

When Duncan Marshall, in his own able way said that the money on the roof of a barn could turn quicker to east, west, north and south to meet the wind, than the opposition in its A. & G. W. policy, he was well within the truth.

The history of the whole affair is given above. First Mr. Michener favored the legislation. Then, when elected, he opposed the agreement. Then, after Mr. Bennett got the big deal with the Royal bank, Mr. Michener opposed what he had favored in 1910.

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4. The extension of the franchise to women in provincial elections on equal terms with men.
5. Legislation to better safeguard the people's rights, especially with regard to the charters granted to gas companies, railways, etc.
6. Provincial prohibition of the liquor traffic.
7. The adoption of the platform known as "The Ottawa Platform" which was presented in 1910 by a delegation of the farmers of Canada, to Sir Wilfrid Laurier in which Reciprocity with the United States, Free Trade with Great Britain, Government Ownership of Terminal Elevators, Direct Legislation, etc., was asked by a delegation over 800 strong representing the farmers of the Dominion.
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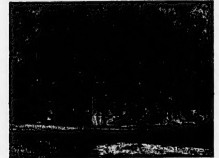
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